

Cite Your Sources: Format & Examples

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Print Materials:

- **Book: (one author)**

Author/Editor's Last name, First name. Title: subtitle. City of Publication: Publisher, Copyright year.

EXAMPLE: *Burns, Mary. John F. Kennedy: A Political Profile. New York: Harper & Row, 1979.*

- **Book: (two authors)**

Author's Last name, First name, and Author's First name followed by Last name. Title: subtitle. City of Publication: Publisher, Copyright year.

EXAMPLE: *Hodgins, Francis and Kenneth Silverman. Costume and Styles. New York: Random House, 1987.*

- **Book: (three or more authors)**

Author's Last name, First name, et.al. Title: subtitle. City of Publication: Publisher, Copyright year.

EXAMPLE: *Dupruy, R. Ernest, et al. India: A Country in Transition. New Haven: Yale University Press, 1996.*

- **Magazine or Newspaper Article:**

Author's Last name, first name. "Title of article". Title of Work. Date of article (day month year): Pages.

EXAMPLE: *Calvin, Louise. "Wetter Winters, Hotter Summers in the Forecast". San Francisco Chronicle. 20 Feb 1997: B26-27.*

- **Reference Book: Encyclopedia**

Author if available. "Title of article". Title of Work. Copyright Year. Pages.

EXAMPLE: *Medicine, Beatrice. "Red Cloud." World Book Encyclopedia. 1999 ed. 456-7.*

Electronic, Internet and other Media Sources:

✓ Website or Image from a Website:

Author's Last name, First name. "Title of Site or Webpage". Date of publication or update. Date site was viewed. <URL of Article>.

EXAMPLE: *Linner, Rachelle. "The Judy Blume Home Page". Dated March 3, 1998. Viewed Sept 14, 2005. <<http://www.judyblume.com>>.*

✓ Encyclopedia Articles from the Web:

Author's Last name, First name. "Title of Article". Encyclopedia Title. Date of visit to Site <URL of Article>

EXAMPLE: *Minch, Edward W. "Spider." World Book Online. April 9, 2004 <<http://www.worldbookonline.com>>.*

✓ Music Clip or File from iTunes, etc.:

Artist."Title of piece." Title of album or longer work. Production company, year.

EXAMPLE: *Rage Against the Machine. "Killing in the Name." Rage Against the Machine. Epic, 1992.*

✓ Magazine Article from an Online Database:

Author's Last name, First name. "Title of Article." Original Source of Article. Date of publication: Pages. Database Service Provider. Date of Visit to Site <URL of Site>.

EXAMPLE: *Anderson, J. "Keats in Harlem." New Republic. May 1995: 36. EBSCO. Sept 5, 2005 <<http://search.epnet.com>>.*

✓ Film and Video:

Movie Title. Director/Filmmaker or Producer. Key Actors or Performers. Format (*DVD or Video*). Distributor (*DVD or Video distributor*), Distribution Date.

EXAMPLE: *Casablanca. Dir. Michael Curtiz. Perfs. Humphrey Bogart, Ingrid Bergman. Warner Bros. Pictures, 1943.*

✓ Television and Radio:

Title of episode, segment or program. (*in quotes*) Producer, Director, Performer, Writer (*if known*). Network. Local Affiliate and the City. Date of Broadcast.

EXAMPLE: *Brief History of Disbelief. Prod. Richard Denton. PBS. KQED, San Francisco. 31 October 2005.*